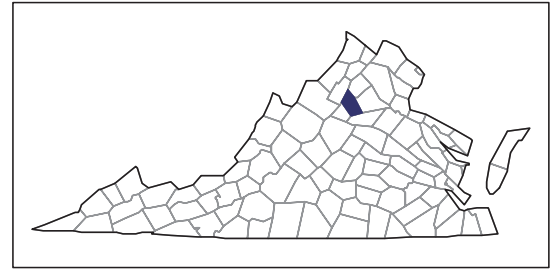


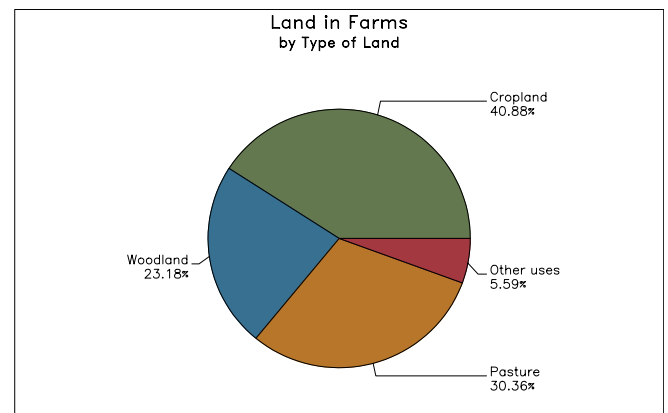
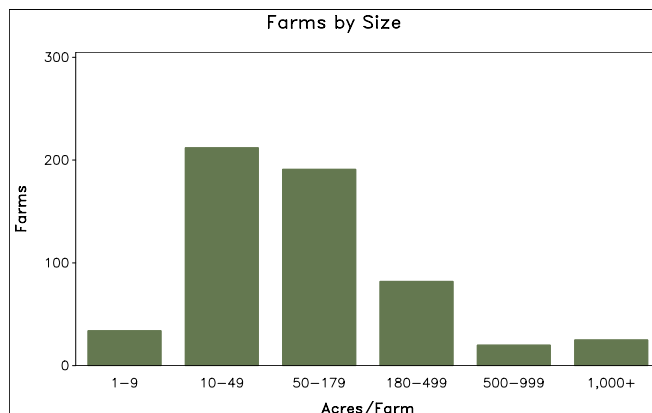
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Madison, Virginia

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	564	531	+ 6
Land in Farms	102,757 acres	102,874 acres	- 0
Average Size of Farm	182 acres	194 acres	- 6
Market Value of Production	\$20,223,000	\$18,030,000	+ 12
Crop Sales \$5,728,000 (28 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$14,496,000 (72 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$35,857	\$33,954	+ 6
Government Payments	\$310,000	\$749,000	- 59
Average Per Farm	\$2,873	\$5,902	- 51



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Ranked items among the 98 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	20,223	38	98	2,245	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,728	43	98	2,170	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	14,496	28	98	1,772	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,826	30	97	1,683	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	34	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(-)	(-)	15	(-)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	95	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	806	39	94	1,181	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,266	20	98	1,291	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	8,936	20	96	1,282	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	4,349	16	78	775	2,493
Hogs and pigs	121	22	86	1,334	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	41	39	95	1,799	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	991	9	94	222	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	44	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	0	87	94	2,766	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	28,132	19	97	1,089	3,060
Layers	1,204	38	97	1,469	3,024
Horses and ponies	1,109	28	97	1,258	3,066
Hogs and pigs	676	24	89	1,318	2,958
Pullets for laying flock replacement	476	18	81	712	2,627
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	21,919	22	98	963	3,060
Corn for grain	4,151	33	94	1,460	2,634
Soybeans for beans	3,929	33	77	1,237	2,039
Corn for silage	1,877	15	81	678	2,263
Wheat for grain, all	762	44	81	1,711	2,481

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	120	Farming	253
\$1,000 to \$2,499	82	Other	311
\$2,500 to \$4,999	66		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	99	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	65	Male	478
\$20,000 to \$24,999	18	Female	86
\$25,000 to \$39,999	35		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	29		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	21	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	5
\$500,000 or more	5	Asian	(-)
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	23,270	Black or African American	39
Average per farm (\$)	41,259	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
		White	765
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,591	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	-2,822	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	3

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.